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**STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
131ST LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to S.P. 585, L.D. 1466, “An Act to Fund Adult Intellectual Disability and Autism Spectrum Disorder Services by Eliminating Certain Tax Funding from the Maine Clean Election Fund”

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

**'An Act to Fund Adult Intellectual Disability and Autism Spectrum Disorder Services'**

Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and inserting the following:

**'Sec. 1. Appropriations and allocations.** The following appropriations and allocations are made.

**HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF  
Developmental Services Waiver - MaineCare Z211**

Initiative: Provides funding to reduce the waiting list for services under the department's rule Chapter 101: MaineCare Benefits Manual, Chapter III, Section 21, Allowances for Home and Community Benefits for Adults with Intellectual Disabilities or Autism Spectrum Disorder.

<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>2023-24</b>	<b>2024-25</b>
All Other	\$3,000,000	\$3,000,000
<b>GENERAL FUND TOTAL</b>	<u>\$3,000,000</u>	<u>\$3,000,000</u>

**Medical Care - Payments to Providers 0147**

Initiative: Provides funding to reduce the waiting list for services under the department's rule Chapter 101: MaineCare Benefits Manual, Chapter III, Section 21, Allowances for Home and Community Benefits for Adults with Intellectual Disabilities or Autism Spectrum Disorder.

<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND</b>	<b>2023-24</b>	<b>2024-25</b>
All Other	\$5,032,129	\$5,032,129

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**

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2	FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	<u>\$5,032,129</u>	<u>\$5,032,129</u>
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4	<b>HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES,</b>		
5	<b>DEPARTMENT OF</b>		
6	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2023-24</b>	<b>2024-25</b>
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8	<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	<b>\$3,000,000</b>	<b>\$3,000,000</b>
9	<b>FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND</b>	<b>\$5,032,129</b>	<b>\$5,032,129</b>
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11	<b>DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS</b>	<u><b>\$8,032,129</b></u>	<u><b>\$8,032,129</b></u>

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13 Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section  
14 number to read consecutively.

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**SUMMARY**

16 This amendment, which is the minority report of the committee, changes the title of the  
17 bill and removes the section of the bill that eliminates the requirement that \$3,000,000 of  
18 the sales and use tax and income tax revenues that are credited to the General Fund be  
19 deposited in the Maine Clean Election Fund. The amendment provides funding to reduce  
20 the waiting list for services for adults with intellectual disabilities and autism spectrum  
21 disorder.

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**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

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**(See attached)**